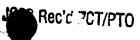
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PCT/US 98/20376   29 September 1998	,							
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Blected Office (DO/EO/US)	the following items and other information:							
1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.  2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.								
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include								
items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.  4. The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).								
5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))	ittoto 31 j.							
a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the Internation	nal Bureau).							
b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.	b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.							
c. Is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving	• • •							
6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.)	C. 371(c)(2)).							
a. is attached hereto. b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).								
7. Amendments to the claims of the International Aplication under PCT Article 19 (3	35 U.S.C.:371(c)(3))							
	a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).							
b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.	-							
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d. have not been made and will not be made.								
8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Artic	:le 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).							
9. An eath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).								
10. An English lanugage translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Ex Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	xamination Report under PCT							
Items 11 to 26 below concern document(s) or information included:								
11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance w	with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
13. A FIRST preliminary amendment.								
14. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.								
15. A substitute specification.								
16. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.								
17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule								
18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)								
19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application	n under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
20. Other items or information:	•							



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21. The following fees are submitted:					CAL	CULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY		
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Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +					\$	40			
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a. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees is enclosed.									
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c. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.									
d. Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card									
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NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been out, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status									
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